



Stanford Russell Schantz

May 31, 1934 - May 17, 2018

Stanford Russell Schantz, 83, May 31, 1934-May 17, 2018. Beloved husband of Gloria, wonderful father of Catherine Mann (Robert), Melvin Schantz (Karen) and Matthew (Dana). Grandfather of Jennifer, Teresa, Maggie, Taylor, Josh and Hunter. Stan was a Boy and Cub Scout Leader for more than 40 years of Troop 113, White Lake, MI. He was also a Red Cross Volunteer for over 30 years. Services will be held at Dryer Funeral Home, Holly, Thursday, May 31 at 12 noon. Visitation will be held there from 10:00AM-12:00PM. Military Honors will follow at Great Lakes National Cemetery at 1:30PM. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the American Red Cross. www.dryerfunerahomeholly.com

Cemetery Details

Great Lakes National Cemetery

Holly, MI

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 31. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Dryer Funeral Home
101 First St
Holly, MI 48442
(248) 634-8291

Service

MAY 31. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Dryer Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Stanford Russell Schantz*



Dryer Funeral Home, Inc. - May 29, 2018 at 02:06 PM

JL

“ *My condolences to the Schantz family. Mr. Schantz was an integral part of my entire adolescence. During my years in Boy Scouts, Mr. Schantz was a mentor, helping me bridge the gap between childhood and adulthood. He taught me, and a lot of other boys, the ways of the woods and Scoutcraft. He had a love for the outdoors that he passed along to us. But he also made sure that we were learning the other parts of Scouting (the Oath and Scout Laws), and were becoming better people. And when we grew up and weren't "boys" anymore, he helped us transition into leaders. We were inspired to pass down our knowledge, because we had been shown how it was done. At the time, it seemed that we were just camping and having fun, but we were growing into confident adults and good citizens. Stan Schantz helped us get there. Thank you Mr. Schantz.*

John Landry - May 29, 2018 at 07:35 PM



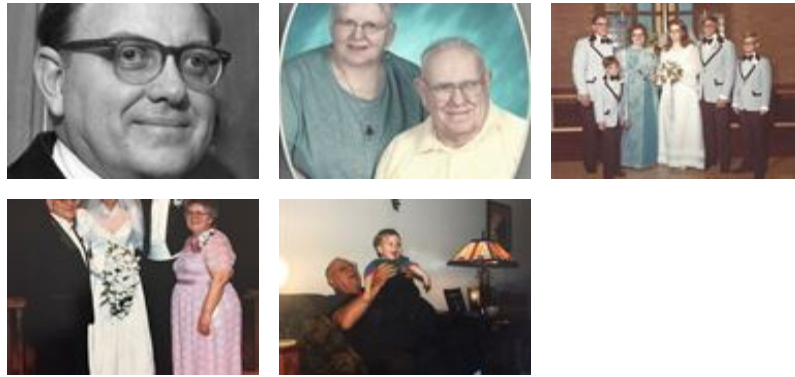
“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Stanford Russell Schantz.



May 29, 2018 at 07:30 PM



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Dryer Funeral Home, Inc. - May 29, 2018 at 12:48 PM



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Ron Ashley Sr. - May 25, 2018 at 06:10 PM

RA

“ *Condolences to the Schantz Family. Mr. Schantz was great Man, training and leading not only the young Scouts but also the adult Leaders of the Troop. His leadership put us all on the trail to were we are today. I know that my life is better because of his guidance and leadership. I can remember his words " Thats not a Chair its a Table" sit the right way.*


Thank you Mr. Schantz

Ron Ashley - May 23, 2018 at 12:19 PM

 Ed
Sanner

“ *My condolences to the Schantz family. I was a Boy Scout in Troop 113, and have fond memories camping with the Schantz brothers and their dad. Memories of his involvement in scouting made me be involved in it as well with my son. Thank you Mr. Schantz!*

Ed Sanner - May 22, 2018 at 05:11 PM

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Ed Sanner - May 22, 2018 at 05:09 PM

MS

“ My condolences to the family. I was a Scout of Stan's in the late 80's and I have not forgotten him since. I have many memories of Stan, but my favorite ones revolve around Troop 113 trips to Lost Lake Scout Camp. He always made sure that his Troop did camping the right way. When all of the other Troops we're getting their 3 meals a day at the cafeteria, there we were, Troop 113, cooking our food 'old school': pots, pans and knives in hand, cutting up and cooking our food over an open flame. We never ate in the cafeteria. I won't lie - sometimes I just wanted to eat like all the others did, but upon reflection, we really did it the right way. And Stan was always teaching us how to do things the right way. That was the great thing about him.

I would be lying if I didn't mention that the first thing that pops in my head when I think about him are the crazy socks that he wore. Again, he did things his way and it was pretty awesome. I am glad that I was able to see him again at the the fairly recent 50th anniversary of Troop 113. And he didn't disappoint - he was wearing a pair of crazy, colorful socks. Exactly like I had remembered him!

Thank you, Stan, for the many life lessons that you taught me, and many other young Scouts.!

R.I.P. Stan

Again, my condolences to the family.

Regards,
Matt Sherrow

Matt Sherrow - May 20, 2018 at 09:46 PM

JS

*Matt you couldn't have said it better! The Schantz family are wonderful people! Stan taught more than young Scouts, he also taught us scouters too. Stan with the Boy Scouts made our lives what they are today. There are so many stories to tell, Melvin and Matthew can attest to that. Thank you Stan for sharing your life with us!
May the Lord richly bless you!
Joe Salvador Troop 113*

Joe Salvador - May 22, 2018 at 07:57 PM

RP

*Condolences to the Schantz family. We knew Stan and Gloria for a very long time. I worked at the Oakland County DPW with Stan and we became very good friends. He and Gloria traveled with us to Europe. What a FANTASTIC INDIVIDUAL. Also thank your for your life long friendship.
Ron & Doris Polley*

Ron Polley - May 24, 2018 at 07:07 PM